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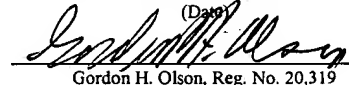
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Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application are:

- (X) Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.
- (X) A PTO Form 1449 with ONE (1) reference.
- (X) A check in the amount of \$180 to cover the above fee is enclosed.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410.
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing one reference that is also enclosed. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)(2) before the mailing date of a final action and before the mailing of a Notice of Allowance. This Statement is accompanied by the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or to credit any overpayment to Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,
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Dated: 11/29/01

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